



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: SYSTEM FOR CONTINUOUS  
 GROWING OF MONOCRYSTALLINE  
 SILICON

## AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non Compliant Amendment dated May 8, 2009, the requested claims listing and terminal disclaimer are appended hereto on separate sheets. This is filed within the one month response period.

In view of the foregoing, it is believed that this application is now in condition for allowance and such a notice is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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